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## RE: Petition for Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for the PolyMet NorthMet Mine Project and Land Exchange

Dear Commissioner Landwehr, Mr. Bruner and Supervisor Cummins,

WaterLegacy submits the attached Petition and Exhibits in support of our request for a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (Supplemental EIS) pertaining to the PolyMet NorthMet Copper-Nickel Mine Project and Land Exchange (PolyMet Project) proposed by PolyMet Mining, Corp. and Poly Met Mining, Inc., its subsidiary (PolyMet). The Petition is attached in hard copy, and all documents are provided in electronic form on a recordable disc.

Please contact me at 651-646-8890 if you have any difficulty in opening the disc or any questions regarding our submission. We would appreciate an email confirming your receipt directed to pmaccabee@justchangelaw.com.

Thank you for your consideration of our Petition for a Supplemental EIS pertaining to the PolyMet Project.

Sincerely yours,

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